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For assistance with the site or other for popular information, please see the following links:

### [Veterans Services](#)

Veterans comprise some of our finest Americans. Learn more about current services and programs offered, useful links, and other information for Veterans residing in the 11th District.

### [Getting your Passport](#)

Whether you're having difficulty obtaining a passport or simply need one reissued, learn more here.

### [Help with a Federal Agency](#)

If you can't get an answer from a federal agency in a timely fashion, or if you feel you have been treated unfairly, my office may be able to help resolve a problem or get you the information you need. While we cannot guarantee you a favorable outcome, we will do our best to help you receive a fair and timely response to your problem. Contact my office for assistance in dealing with Federal agencies.

### [Congressional Art Contest](#)

The annual high school art competition that I sponsor in the 11th Congressional District. Learn more about the House of Representatives' nation-wide high school arts competition.

### [Internships](#)

I run an internship program accepting college students interested in learning about the operations of a congressional office. In addition to general office support, interns assist my staff with constituent services, Capitol tours, and light research. Interns are also encouraged to attend hearings, lectures, and seminars available in Congress and around the Hill.

### [Service Academy Nominations](#)

Each member of Congress, either in the House of Representatives or the Senate, is allowed a total of five appointees in each service academy. For each vacancy, I am allowed to nominate ten individuals. Learn more about the Service Academy Nomination process.

### [Order a U.S. Flag](#)

Purchase a U.S. flag through my office. There is no limit on the number of flags you may order. You may also request that your new flag be flown over the Capitol. Flags may be flown for a particular person, event, or organization, and may be flown on a specific date. A certificate of recognition is included with each flag.

### [Page Program](#)

High school juniors are eligible work as Pages in the U.S. House of Representatives for a fall or spring. There is no GPA requirement for Pages who work during the summer semester. While serving the House, Pages live in Washington D.C., at the Page Residence Hall, a few blocks away from the Capitol. During the academic year, Pages attend classes at the House Page School. Learn more about the House of Representatives Page Program.

### [Presidential Greetings](#)

District Residents can request to receive a greeting from the President of the United States. Request a Presidential Greeting.

### [Grants](#)

There are thousands of federal grant programs that your organization might be eligible for and I am often asked about what is available. Learn about the available resources to help eligible grantseekers find information on federal grants, loans, and nonfinancial assistance for projects, as well as on private funding.

### [Student Financial Aid](#)

Learn about the process of locating and applying for financial aid.

### [Have Unclaimed Property?](#)

Illinois is holding huge amounts of unclaimed property. Is some of it yours? Common forms of unclaimed property include savings or checking accounts, stocks, uncashed dividends or payroll checks, refunds, traveler's checks, trust distributions, insurance payments or refunds and life insurance policies, annuities, certificates of deposit, customer overpayments, utility security deposits, mineral royalty payments, and contents of safe deposit boxes.

### [Visiting Washington DC?](#)

For those constituents visiting the Washington D.C. area, I am pleased to offer this information on local tours and points of interest. My office can also help you make arrangements for some of the more popular Federal attractions in our Nation's Capital.

### [Frequently Asked Questions](#)

Here is a link to frequently asked questions, in order to help you better find what you're looking for.